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DEVELOPMENT OF ADULT EDUCATORS



Better Together
Local WIOA Partnerships at
Work, that Work!



 **ABE**
Adult Basic Education

 **GED® & AHS**
GED Preparation & AHS High School

 **ESOL**
English for Speakers of Other Languages

 **AACP**
Adult Education Career Pathways

IPDAE WELCOMES EDUCATORS

IPDAE (Institute for the Professional Development of Adult Educators) is a resource center that offers information, training and professional development resources for adult educators. We seek to assess the development of necessary skills and to assist with AACP (Adult Education Career Pathways).

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FEATURED EVENTS

 **TABS - Test of Adult Basic Education Training**

Friday, Apr 10, 2016
Community Technical and Adult Education Center
This training is for personnel that administer the TABS test.

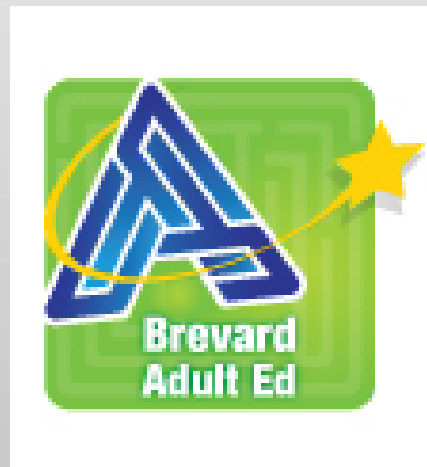
TIP OF THE WEEK

Did You Know...
Did you know? There is a lot of math embedded in your classroom! Signs range from fractions, equations, patterns, matrices, geometry, symmetry and statistics. Did You Know videos are inspiring, and short enough for you to share in your classroom. [Discover more](#)



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Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act WIOA Partners

4 titles = 6 core partners

- **Title I: Adult, Dislocated Worker, Youth** (DOL; state labor/workforce agency; local implementation)
- **Title II: Adult Education & Family Literacy** (ED; state agency; local implementation)
- **Title III: Employment Service/Wagner Peyser** (DOL; state agency; state implementation)
- **Title IV: Vocational Rehabilitation Services** (ED: state agency; state implementation)



WIOA Alignment Opportunities

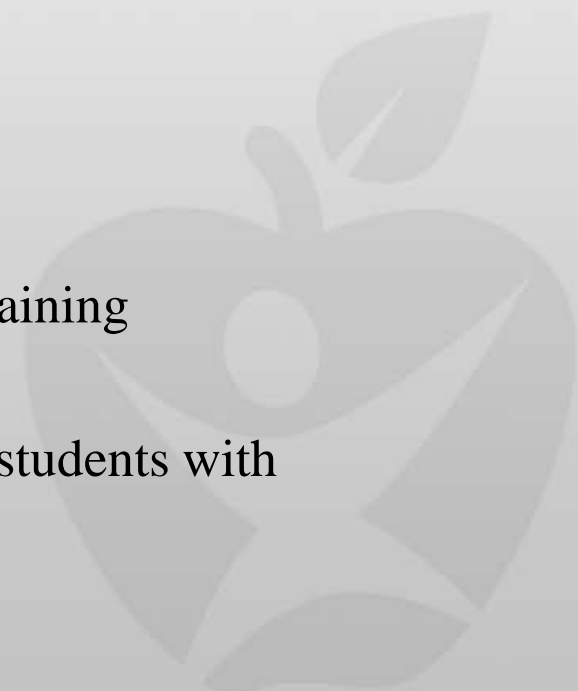
New Definitions

- Individuals with barriers to employment
- Basic skill deficient
- Homeless individuals

Priority of Service Strengthened

Funding focus

- Title I youth – 75% for out of school youth
- Title I adult/dislocated worker -- OJT; cohort training
- Title II IEL Civics allocation
- Title IV post secondary transition activities for students with Individual Education Plan (IEP)



WIOA Alignment Opportunities

Encouraged use of **Integrated Education and Training**

Adult literacy activities

Workforce preparation activities

Workforce training for a specific occupation/occupational cluster

Career pathways definition shared across WIOA partners and Higher Education Act

Broader focus of adult education on transition to postsecondary & the labor market

Title II representative on local workforce board



WIOA Alignment Challenges

Title II representative on local workforce board

- How will one person represent all local providers?
- How will the local board “review” process work?

Identifying shared population

- Work authorization status
- Your ‘low skilled’ is my ‘high skilled’

Intangibles

- Cultural differences
- Semantic differences



The Known Unknowns...

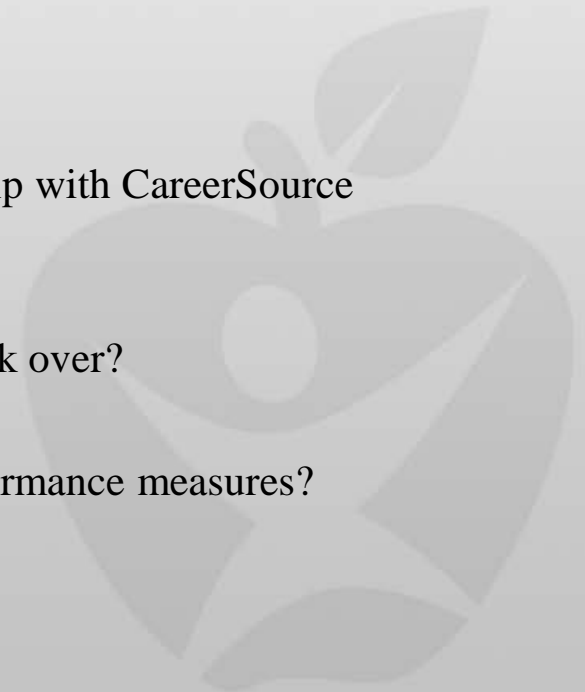
- Awaiting final regulations
- Measurable Skill Gain – limited?
- Employer engagement metric
- Title II re-compete of funds



Brevard County, FL Partnership

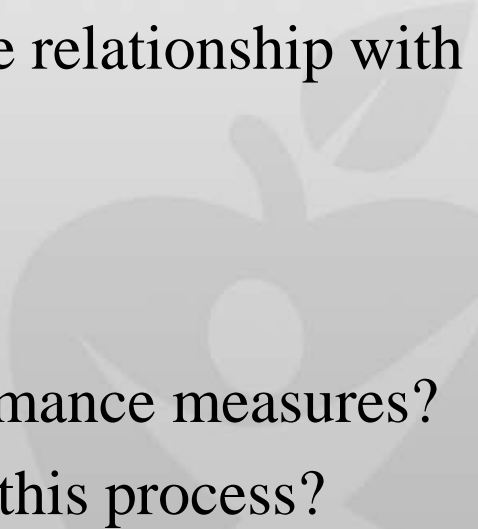
Jeff Arnott – Director Adult Education for Brevard Public Schools.

- 4th year as Director in Brevard County. Have been Director in small district before coming to the Space Coast.
- We serve over 5000 students a year in our programs.
- What does Adult Ed want to accomplish with the partnership with CareerSource Brevard and business partners?
- What big changes has Adult Ed gone through since you took over?
- What is your biggest concern about the shared WIOA performance measures?



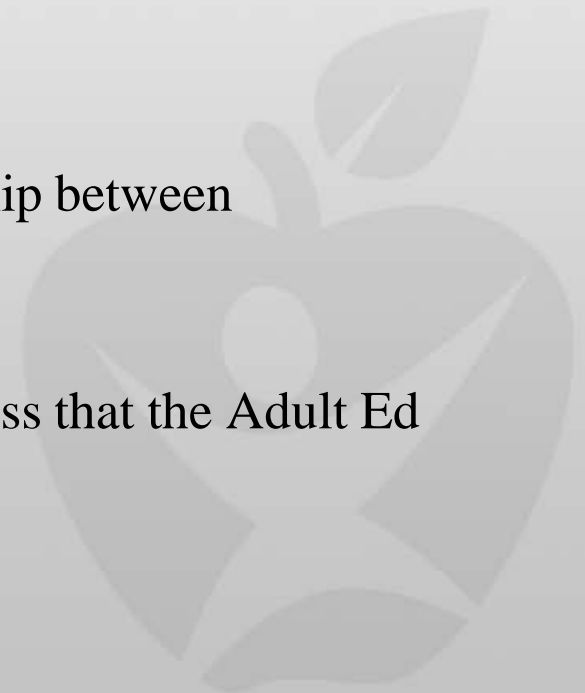
Brevard County, FL Partnership

Lisa Rice, President CareerSource Brevard

- How did this relationship start?
 - How did the relationship change?
 - Where does CareerSource Brevard see the relationship with Adult Ed going?
 - What has already happened?
 - What is coming up?
 - How can the partnership help with performance measures?
 - How should Adult Ed in other areas start this process?
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Brevard County, FL Partnership Art Hoelke, Knight's Armament

- Why did you get involved with Adult Ed?
- How did your partnership with Adult Ed start?
- What do you want to accomplish with the partnership between CareerSource Brevard and Adult Ed?
- What is the biggest challenge you see facing business that the Adult Ed /CareerSource Brevard could help resolve?



Let's Chat!

- What is working great?
- What challenges are you experiencing?



Thanks!

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